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## Bond Issue Carried Tuesday By Majority Nearly Six to One St. Cloud To Have Modern Improvements In Keeping With Growth of City--Franchise Granted Central Florida Interurban Railway

St. Cloud will have a modern water works system, construct sanitary sewers and pave certain main thoroughfares in the business section of the city, thus taking her place with progressive cities in Florida. This became an assured fact Tuesday when by a vote of approximately six to one the taxpayers authorized the bond issue of \$115,000 for these improvements. At the same election a franchise was voted the Central Florida Interurban Railway Company, which will connect St. Cloud with the East Coast and with Central Florida towns, the southwestern terminus of this road being Tampa.

St. Cloud can no longer be kept back in its growth and development. The vote on Tuesday was such an overwhelming expression in favor of public improvements that the next twelve months will see more activity among the property owners in making improvements to their property than has ever been witnessed in the history of the city.

There was just enough opposition to the improvements proposed to make the fight for civic improvement interesting. When the final result was known it was learned that the whirlwind campaign of the Board of Trade and the business men of the city, during the past ten days of the contest, had brought results. It was believed the vote against the issue would be heavier, but the mass meeting held just one week before the election practically eliminated the opposition. Every question as to the improvements planned, their cost to the taxpayers and the time the bonds were to run, was all explained at the mass meeting. But few who had learned the facts could make any valid excuse for opposing the entire bond issue.

Much credit is due the members of the city council, and especially to Clerk Kenney, for their untiring efforts to furnish the public with statistics on the question of the improvements.

During the past week more credit is due perhaps to the efforts of Capt. L. D. Frost and Hon. Arthur E. Donegan than any two individuals for their personal efforts in behalf of the bond issue. Mr. Frost was at first opposed to the whole bond issue, but after going into the details of the estimates of costs was converted in favor of the whole bond issue. Mr. Donegan, being president of the St. Cloud Development Company, possibly the largest taxpayer in the city, made an address at the mass meeting a week before the election, showing

that his company was pleased with the proposed improvements, and this talk with the facts and figures given out at the meeting by Capt. Frost, removed objections made by many persons who up to that time had opposed the issue.

Every taxpayer who voted for bonds deserves credit for his share of work in making the proposition a success. Every citizen of St. Cloud will benefit by the improvements. Property values will take a rise. The increase in values will more than pay the cost of the whole bond issue within the next twelve months.

The vote as tabulated at the close of the polls Tuesday night was as follows:

\$72,000 Bonds for Waterworks	
For	210
Against	34
\$21,000 Bonds for Sewers	
For	203
Against	37
\$15,000 Bonds for Street	
For	189
Against	41
\$4,000 Refunding Bonds	
For	203
Against	33
\$2,000 Sinking Fund Bonds	
For	199
Against	34
For Trustees	
G. A. Bleech	183
J. D. Chunn	190
L. U. Zimmerman	183
Granting Franchise to Interurban	
For	242
Against	2
Blank ballots	5

A meeting of the city council was held yesterday afternoon at two o'clock for the purpose of ratifying the election.



RESIDENCE OF COMRADE J. W. MEEKS  
Corner Eighth St. and Missouri Ave.

The above is a photograph of the attractive home of Comrade J. W. Meeks, corner Eighth street and Missouri avenue, St. Cloud. The comfortable appearance of this home speaks volumes for what can be done in St. Cloud. Just about one year ago Mr. and Mrs. Meeker began 'fixin' up' the place. One of the first attractions at the home is an immense cypress vine, covering the front porch. Then there is a grassy lawn, they preferring grass to sand, a variety of flowers that bloom all the year and especially in the winter months. Various fruits have been cultivated and especial attention has been given to many varieties of roses. Adding to the comforts of home life a small enclosure accommodates chickens sufficient to meet the needs of the family. Every comfort to make life worth living is offered at the Meeks home, and they are in St. Cloud for the remainder of their lives. This summer Mr. Meeks visited in northern cities for two months, and expressed surprise at the rapid growth of plant life around his home during his short absence. Now that water works and sewerage systems have been provided for, Mr. Meeks expects to have the sidewalks and electric lights extended to his home, and he will have no more to be desired in life.

## RANCHES IN OSCEOLA COUNTY IMPROVING BREED OF STOCK Day Spent at One of County's Largest Cattle Ranches Gives Insight to Valuable Resource of the County

When you hear a person speak of a "ranch" you invariably think of Texas. But that thought only reflects your ignorance of the geography of this country, particularly of Florida.

Florida, for many years known as only a playground for the idle rich, later became known as a rival of California in the orange industry, and has in still later years supplanted the western fruit in many parts of the country. There are many more surprising things that should be known about the natural resources of the peninsular state, before expressing surprise at the wonderful development that is taking place. I started out to tell you something about a ranch—a real cattle ranch, and that right in the heart of Florida.

Osceola county has gained a reputation for the large number of cattle raised annually, but there are thousands of people that have no idea of what an important item the cattle product of the state really is. There are millions of heads of cattle in the state on the open range, where the owner of the cattle owns no land. These herds are given no attention except at the semi-annual or annual round-up and marking of calves. They find enough feed all year round to keep life extant, and "cowpunchers" round out just about regular time "hunting" cattle through the woodlands and other places over the open range, keeping the herds of marks and brands that belong to one owner as near one part of the range as practicable.

Years ago the first white settlers that came on good terms with the Indians, and descendants of the original Spanish explorers that had dropped a cattle man here and there, became traders in cattle with the Indians who then had small herds. They discovered that the stock was

fairly well nearly every season on the native grass, and Cuba and some South American ports created a fair demand for the stock that was raised with so little care.

When the Spanish-American war broke out, attention was directed to the herds in Florida by reason of their proximity to the place needed for food, and many new cattle men were added to the lists of ranchmen. At about the same time more attention was paid to the stock that was offered to the market, and although that was twenty years ago there are yet a few of those old-time methods observed among cattle raisers in the state. Not having to own a ranch, why should they attempt to improve herds that mix with other herds that have no attention? So it is with delight one may visit a modern ranch, where every acre of the land is under fence and cross-fenced to keep certain brands and breeds together, and where real energy is exerted in their efforts to raise the standard of stock that is sent to market two or three times each year. Aside from the annual roundups, attention is given at regular intervals to the condition of the cattle, and a sharp lookout is kept for any disease that might result in the loss or disaster to the herd. Of such a ranch I want to write to the readers of the St. Cloud Tribune.

I had the pleasure recently to be invited to spend the day at what has for several years been known as the Canoe Creek Ranch, some fourteen miles south and west of St. Cloud, on the main public road from this city to Whittier and Bassinger. This ranch has become known as "Canoe Creek" from the name of a water course that crosses through the upper part of the lands, furnishing as it does a supply of fresh water for the stock in this part of the ranch. The creek was given its name by Indians that knew the value of the grazing lands long before the white man ever undertook the fencing of the vast acreage for pasture for stock that was intended to be improved.

At Canoe Creek there are some eighty-five thousand acres of the finest pasture to be found in the state, all under good fence, with cross fences dividing the ranch into several different pastures. One can ride for a day over the place and not see all the lands. In addition to the creek from which the place derives its name, the ranch has several miles of lake frontage on the west, along the entire length of Lake Cypress and a large part of Lake Kissimmee. These two large lakes, with the creek, afford all the water that is needed for the stock at all times in the year. Cattle will graze near the water, and when the lakes go lower and lower

## STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER SAYS ROAD COSTS \$259,000.00

ST. CLOUD PART OF KISSIMMEE-MELBOURNE HIGHWAY WILL NEED MORE MONEY THAN WAS VOTED IN BONDS.

What move will be made to secure the road through St. Cloud to the East Coast is still a problem, the report filed with the county commissioners and local board of trade by the State Highway Commissioner showing that the cost of this proposed sand-asphalt road will be \$259,000, instead of \$150,000, as called for in the bond issue. The report from Commissioner Coker, based on the investigation of State Highway Engineer Barnard, does not favor sand-asphalt, but suggests bituminous concrete and recommends that work may be

done on part of the road with what money has been voted, leaving the remainder of the route only graded and drained. The letter follows:

Tallahassee, Aug. 22, 1916.

The Hon. Chairman and Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County, Kissimmee, Florida.

Gentlemen:—In compliance with your request of July 24, this department has compiled an approximate estimate on the improvement of 37½ miles of road in District 3 of Osceola county, including the Kissimmee-Melbourne road, 34 miles in length, and the Ashton-Narcoossee road, 3½ miles in length.

Our approximate estimate on the entire 37½ miles, including grading

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## R. R. Riley To Be New Principal of St. Cloud School

County School Board makes Arrangements for Teacher in Seventh and Eighth Grades—Opening Sept. 15.

At the meeting of the County School Board last Monday it was announced that arrangements had been made for the services of Mr. R. R. Riley, formerly of Jasper, Fla., as principal of the St. Cloud High school for the next term. It was further stated that Miss Irene Baumgartner, of Brunswick, Ga., had been secured as teacher for the seventh and eighth grades.

The schools of St. Cloud will open September 18, one week from next Monday. With the appointment of a principal and teacher for the seventh and eighth grades everything is in readiness for the schools of the city. It is estimated that the attendance in St. Cloud will show an increase this year over any previous term.

Examination of teachers for obtaining certificates to teach began Tuesday at the office of the County School Superintendent and will continue until Saturday.

CONN CONGRATULATES CITY

Point Marion Pa., Sept. 9, '16.  
L. U. Zimmerman,  
St. Cloud, Florida.  
Congratulations to the people of St. Cloud on their vote.  
J. K. CONN.

## St. Cloud To Receive \$3,034.80 For Road Fund

Apportionment of County Taxes For Year 1915 Shows Sum Due This City.

At the October meeting of the Osceola County Commissioners the city of St. Cloud will receive the sum of \$3,034.80, being their share of the county road tax fund. The county levies taxes on all city property for this fund, and when collections are made refunds the municipality the amount due for work in this city. The council must provide for what work is desired during the year, and are reimbursed in proportion to the tax the county collects. The city of Kissimmee only received \$3,901.00 for the same period. Due to the fact that quite a sum of taxes were uncollected, the money for this term will not be available until the October meeting of the board.

FIVE HUNDRED CLUB

Mrs. J. D. Chunn entertained the Five Hundred Club last Friday afternoon. Those present were: Mesdames Ed Eley, Gordon Clark, Sidney Porter, P. D. Marine, P. E. Morgan, C. B. Ryan, H. E. Hedrick, Labor Farris, Bert Durham and Miss Ruth Wiley, all of St. Cloud, and Mrs. Mahoney of Sanford.

Mrs. Ryan won first prize and Mrs. Hedrick and Mrs. Clark cut for the booby.

Ice cream and cake were served, and all seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest.



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## OSCEOLA COUNTY DAIRY FARMS NEAR ST. CLOUD A POSSIBILITY

### St. Cloud Development Co. Will Co-operate With Men Desiring to Take Up Industry For Which this Section Is Admirably Adapted

There are many opportunities in the St. Cloud section for profitable investment, but none offers such immediate advantage as that of dairy farming. The lands are adapted to cattle raising and the section for miles around cannot be supplied now with the few dairy farms that have been established. Another feature that adds to the attractiveness of the proposition in this section is the plan offered by the St. Cloud Development Company whose lands are located so admirably for this purpose, and in close proximity to city trade and rail transportation for shipping.

The St. Cloud Development Company announces that they are desirous of co-operating with persons who wish to engage in the dairy business and will lend every possible assistance to induce the development of this industry. Persons who are interested are invited to correspond with the company at their St. Cloud office, and get further details of the plans.

That other sections of the state are waking up to the need of developing dairy farming can be seen from the following article which appeared recently in the Leesburg Commercial. People in that section have started a co-operative dairy farm plan, and while they will meet with success the St. Cloud section has many advantages, that with the co-operation of the Development Company will aid materially in rapid growth of the industry here. The Commercial article says:

"Events have moved rapidly during the past week in the matter of getting in shape to establish a creamery in Leesburg. A live committee has been at work securing pledges of the requisite number of cows, and this morning J. L. Stallings reported that approximately 200 cows of the two-gallon requirements have been secured. Today Mr. Stallings and Mr. Gilmore are at Umatilla where a meeting is being held to secure pledges. There is now no question of the success of the committee, for Mr. Jones, of Fruitland Park, third member, has secured pledges of 100 cows on the Fruitland Park road alone. Mr. Jones and Dr. Judd Q. Lloyd also went to Umatilla later today.

"Within the next few days it is expected that the necessary cows will be pledged and a meeting will be called to take steps for the organization of a company. Whether it will be on a co-operative basis or a private stock company will depend upon the attitude of the farmers who have pledged their support, but it is believed that the majority will desire the co-operative plan which has worked out successfully in other sections.

"This movement has brought out another good result. A few experienced dairymen from the North could come into this section now and make very advantageous terms with land and cattle owners in this section, either for lease or on shares. Several farmers in the Piccola section would be glad to pool their interests under the management of an experienced man. J. W. Miller desires to have his big farm handled in that way, and here are several others who are willing to make such arrangements.

"All these people have fenced pastures for their stock and they will co-operate in the matter of dipping vats and to keep the ticks out of their dairy herds. They have land upon

which forage crops and grain can be raised, and their farms are watered. It is as nearly an ideal section for the industry as could be devised and the ones who are throwing their time and energy into this movement are greatly encouraged by the splendid response that is being made."

Osceola county has more dipping vats than any other county, for the reason that Osceola county leads the state in cattle production. This section is growing rapidly in population and the needs of the home people alone demand a far greater supply of dairy products than is now produced. The population of Osceola county showed the greater increase of any county in the state in a five-year period covered by the state census taken last year, being 201 per cent. St. Cloud being the newest town, and the fastest growing city in this section makes the opportunity in this part of the state greater for the prospective dairy farmer.

The Tribune will aid in any manner possible prospective homeseekers, dairy farmers or truck farmers and orange grove owners, in the matter of securing information concerning the opportunities here.

#### State Health Board Bulletin

Press dispatches from the Mexican border received not many days ago brought the announcement that in the United States army, assembled there on account of Villa and other troubles, only six deaths from disease have occurred and that there has not been a single case of typhoid fever.

That's some record, especially when it describes health conditions covering a period of four to six months among 100,000 men, more or less, the larger portion of whom have been taken from accustomed occupations and food and surroundings. It talks very strongly for Uncle Sam's way of looking after the physical welfare of his fighting men, and the provisions he makes for them.

The idea occurs, why may not this record be approached in civil life? Of course it could never be equalled, for the army is made up of picked men, chosen for their physical fitness and the examination is severe. Those who are left at home include the lame and halt and blind, the children, the old and the weaklings, among whom the mortality and sick rates necessarily are higher.

But the statement that no case of typhoid fever has occurred among the fighters is significant. Of course, if the enlisted man won't take the anti-typhoid vaccination he can't stay in the army. Uncle Sam makes that one of the conditions of enlistment, and it's about the first order the new soldier has to obey. But our worthy uncle has not yet discovered any way to enforce that order among the people who stay at home.

It is probable that there has never been a more significant nor successful test or triumph of this method of fighting one of the most serious diseases that man has to contend with. It is so successful and the instance quoted is but one among many proofs—why is it not being more widely used among those to whom it is voluntary, not compulsory? The cost is small, trifling, compared with the certain results and, in Florida, if expense is the only obstacle, the Board of Health will pay the bill for those who are unable to pay it themselves.

An eminent medical authority has predicted that within the next score of years, typhoid will become a rare disease, remembered mainly in medical records. Certain it is that typhoid is an unnecessary disease—a very expensive one both in its monetary cost, in the indirect loss it brings by reducing the individual producing efficiency, and in its heavy death rate.

But any prediction as to the future control of disease must include the uncertain element of individual willingness to co-operate with health authorities for individual welfare and for that of the community. Just as long as the individual citizens will not co-operate, just so long will the general advance in health matters be delayed.

Medical science has made long strides forward within the past twenty years, and it is advancing to wider usefulness more rapidly now than it has ever before. Perhaps its greatest practical benefit to mankind within

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<p><b>Job Printing</b> Done Promptly Tribune Office.</p>		<p><b>TEACHERS' EXAMS TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 20TH</b> State Superintendent Sheats has called another examination for state, special and primary certificates to be held at DeLand and Marianna, beginning September 20. This will be the last examination until the one to be held at the close of the F. A. at Arcadia.</p>	

#### THE CENTRAL FLORIDA INTERURBAN RAILWAY

Through the energy of Hon. W. S. Alyea, Hon. Wm. Hall and Mr. C. E. Carlson, all well known residents of St. Cloud, Florida, a charter has been obtained for the Central Florida Interurban Railway Company, which company if it receives the support that it deserves will be of inestimable value to Central Florida.

It has long been the idea of Mr. Alyea that communication between the cities of the state by railways operated otherwise than by steam would be of advantage to the farming and commercial communities and that it would be a great incentive to the development of the sections through which such supposed railways might pass.

Mr. Alyea and his associates are now busy securing the rights of way and are feeling greatly encouraged by the support they are receiving. Recently at a special meeting of the council of the city of St. Cloud a franchise was unanimously agreed upon and this franchise will undoubtedly soon be unanimously ratified by a vote of the citizens of that town.

It is proposed by the corporation to build railways in Osceola, Orange, Seminole, Lee, Sumner, Marion, Citrus, Hernando, Pasco, Pinellas, Hillsborough and Volusia counties. It is also proposed to construct a railroad from St. Cloud, Florida, through Osceola and Brevard counties to a point on the East Coast. The exact course of operations cannot at the present time be definitely determined as a good deal depends on what support is obtainable from the neighborhoods through which rights of way are desired. The small strip of land that is required for this purpose and which should be freely given will be small in comparison to the results that will be obtained from the communication that will be established.

We understand that ample capital has been promised and that it will be forthcoming as soon as these rights of way are secured and work will probably be commenced within a few weeks.

We extend to these enterprising

gentlemen the glad hand of friendship and sincerely trust that success may crown their efforts.—Citrus County Chronicle.

#### I. O. O. F. ENCAMPMENT

Odd Fellows, do not get the idea that the encampment is a useless appendage to the order. The last instruction and advice given to a candidate in the subordinate lodge is an advanced degree which teaches sublime and useful lessons, and they are earnestly commended to your attention.

The encampment differs from the subordinate in other respects than degree work. It teaches and endeavors to practice a broader fraternalism and for this purpose it cultivates a wider and more intimate acquaintance of its membership, for social enjoyment, mutual personal assistance and a ripper knowledge of ways and means.

The 92nd annual session of the sovereign grand lodge, I. O. O. F., meet at Chattanooga, Tenn., next month. C. D. Rinehart, J. W. White, of Jacksonville, and grand secretary of the subordinate lodge, J. W. Blanding, of Gainesville, are the Florida representatives.

The sixty-fifth anniversary of the Rebekah degree, I. O. O. F., is by authority of Grand Sire J. B. A. Robertson to be celebrated by Rebekah lodges on the 20th day of September, 1916. Kissimmee Rebekah lodge is preparing to dedicate the occasion by appropriate exercises and thanksgiving to Almighty God for His manifold blessings to the members of the Rebekah degree, individually and collectively.

#### SLEW 4,000 RABBITS

Sacramento Valley recently turned out in force to two of the most successful rabbit drives in its history, says an exchange District 1,002, near Franklin, Sacramento county, offered as an attraction free shot gun shells to all who would attend, and as a result about 4,000 rabbits were slain.

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#### LAMB HAS SIX LEGS

A six-weeks-old lamb, with six legs, is the unique pet recently brought to Ogden, Utah, by Frank Smyth, secretary of the Intermountain Land and Livestock Company, from the company's headquarters in Boxelder county.

Although freak lambs are not uncommon, sheepmen contend that few of them live more than a few weeks. The freak animal owned by Mr. Smyth is said to be as frisky as any normal lamb at the age of six weeks and promises to develop into a healthy sheep.

The extra pair of legs are attached to the ribs just behind the shoulder blades. The limbs are somewhat crooked, the toes pointing in a variety of directions, but the extra legs do not interfere with the normal use of the regular fore limbs. Mr. Smyth allows his pet to graze on the lawn in front of his house, where it has become the playmate of nearly all the children in the neighborhood.

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Fire insurance, taxes, A. E. Drought. Rev. G. W. Brown left Wednesday for Louisville, Ohio, to spend a few weeks visiting friends and relatives. "Mysteries of Myra" every Saturday and Wednesday, at the Palm Theatre. W. J. Bledsoe and family left on Monday for Orlando, where they went for the purpose of placing their son in school. Get your tickets at Durham's for the Lyceum course. State Nursery Inspector Bibbee passed through St. Cloud Tuesday on his way to Narcoossee, where he inspected some nurseries in that section. Reduction Sale of Lace and Embroidery at Durham's. Don't miss this unheard-of discount. I have fine Plymouth Rock cockrels for sale. D. L. Smith, 14th St. and Florida Ave. E. L. Reifschneider, of El Paso, Texas, enjoyed a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reifschneider. He left on Wednesday for home. Free! Free! Showing of the first episode of the "Mysteries of Myra," Saturday evening, from 5:30 to 6:30; doors open 5:15. C. E. Carlson has purchased a new Hudson super-six and has been treating his friends to pleasant rides over this section of the country for the past week. Over 10,000 yards Lace and Embroidery to select from at Durham's. Prices below cost. Mr. A. W. Gustus, cashier of the First National Bank of St. Cloud, left on Wednesday for Attica, Ind., where he will spend a month's vacation with friends and relatives. Coming, the latest serial, "The Mysteries of Myra" in fifteen episodes, shown twice a week, Saturdays and Wednesdays. Rev. Northrop and wife returned Wednesday, morning from a trip to New York. They are glad to be home again. Mr. Northrop will occupy the pulpit Sunday as usual. Get them sudden! What? Those Lyceum tickets at Durham's. Sale starts Saturday. Mr. Stewart, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of St. Cloud, arrived home on Monday from a month's vacation spent at Coronado Beach and points on the East Coast. For sale, one of the best bargains in a combined truck and fruit farm around St. Cloud. Write Box 346, St. Cloud, Florida. Mrs. E. D. French returned last Friday evening from St. Cloud, Minn. She is delighted to be back among her friends and glad to be in her beautiful modern bungalow which Mr. French built at Ashton. One lot of 100 Embroidery at 7/16, at Durham's. D. C. Cope and wife left Tuesday for Ft. Wayne, Ind., in response to a telegram relating to business affairs. Mr. Cope expects to return in a few days. Mrs. Cope will remain to visit friends in Indiana and Pennsylvania. Ladies, do not forget that Saturday is Leap Year night. All gentlemen who are accompanied by a lady will receive a free pass for the first showing of the "Mysteries of Myra." M. D. Alexander, a prominent member of the Osceola County Truck Growers' Association, who lives near Kissimmee, on the Orlando road, spent Tuesday in St. Cloud, talking county fair business to our merchants. An expert tailor, from Kahn Bros., Louisville, will be at our store Monday, September 18th, to measure and take orders for tailor-made clothing for men and boys. He will have a full line of samples in original piece. Don't fail to call that date and inspect goods and prices. H. C. Stanford Company, Josh Ferguson, Manager. S. W. Porter, real estate, insurance. One lot of Lace, worth 5c, to go at 3/16c per yard, at Durham's. Mrs. J. S. Bracken, of Florida avenue, who last week underwent a serious operation on her throat in a Tampa hospital, has been confined to her home most of the time ever since, suffering from severe stomach trouble. Leap Year Night! When? Saturday night, at the Palm Theatre, for the first showing of that great serial, "Mysteries of Myra." All gentlemen who are accompanied by a lady admitted free. Miss Almada Arrowsmith, who has been attending the Columbia College of New York City, returned to her home Tuesday evening. She will spend a few days here and then will go to St. Petersburg to take up her school work. Come early and get the choice of those wonderful bargains at Durham's. There are some people here who never saw a pineapple grow. If you want to know how this delicious fruit looks when in the pinery you should visit Bleech's store, where you will find some beautiful specimens from his own garden. Have you tried one of those delicious "Mysteries of Myra" ice cream sundaes at the drug stores. They are fine, but cannot be compared with the pictures which are shown every Saturday and Wednesday for 5c and 10c, at the Palm Theatre. The Misses Doolittle returned on Saturday last from Carbondale, Ohio, where they have been spending the summer months. They came by the way of Baltimore and enjoyed the boat trip immensely and are glad to be back in St. Cloud. One lot of extra fine Lace, worth up to 60c per yard, to go at 10c per half yard, at Durham's. County Demonstration Agent B. E. Evans made his regular weekly trip to St. Cloud on Tuesday, conferring with growers and truck men in this section. Mr. Evans went out to Ashton in the afternoon to look at a grove located there. Notice to the gentlemen of St. Cloud: Your chance of a life time, a free show. A lady for company and see the mysteries of Myra next Saturday, Leap Year night. The lady does the buying of the ticket. My, what a snap! A. E. Thomas, secretary of the Osceola County Fair Association, was in St. Cloud on Tuesday securing subscriptions to stock in the fair association. Mr. Thomas secured several additional names since the meeting held here last week. First here first served. The Lyceum tickets go on sale September 9th at Durham's store. Reserved seats are free. We urge you to make your choice early. No reservation of seats will be made unless tickets are paid for at time selection is made. Mayor Wm. Bircher returned last Saturday from Crookston, Minn. Mrs. Bircher will arrive next Saturday and will be accompanied by her grandchildren, who will attend school here this winter. Mr. Bircher says he is glad to get home to get cool, as the heat was intense in Minnesota. Coming, the great serial, "Mysteries of Myra," at the Palm. Mr. and Mrs. Boswell, who own the large market garden on Pennsylvania avenue, have returned from an extensive trip in the West and have come back looking much refreshed after their holiday. Mr. Boswell will at once put his garden in shape and will furnish truck and strawberries for the coming winter. Ladies, are you going to let the gentlemen buy their tickets next Saturday night, Leap Year night? The gentlemen are free who are accompanied by a lady, and the first episode of the "Mysteries of Myra" thrown in. The following episodes will follow every Wednesday and Saturday for seven week. Furnished Rooms and Houses to Rent. One four-room house and two lots for sale or rent; one two-room house for rent furnished; furnished rooms to rent. All on Mass. Ave. and 14th Street. Apply to MRS. S. C. JAQUES, St. Cloud, Florida.

SHOWING OF
FREE Mysteries of Myra FREE

Saturday afternoon from five thirty till six thirty, the first episode of this sensational serial.

Now that the hot weather is nearly over we have arranged for an unlimited number of special attractions. The first on the list is the stupendous serial, "Mysteries of Myra," in fifteen episodes, which will be shown twice a week, on Saturdays and Wednesdays, show starting for this picture at 5:30 on Saturdays, and the rest of the week at the regular hour, 7 p. m. Next on the list is a 5-reel feature once per week and many short subjects with such stars as Francis Ford, Grace Cunard, Cleo Madison, Edna Mason, J. Warren Kerrigan, King Baggot, and many others that are well known.

"MYSTERIES OF MYRA," SATURDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

THURSDAY, Sept. 7—"The Code of His Ancestors," 1-act drama. "The Cage Man," with Raymond Nay, exceedingly good drama. "Betrayed by a Camera," comedy. MONDAY, Sept. 11—"Their Awful Predicament," comedy. J. Warren Kerrigan in "The Melody of Love," 3-reel drama. TUESDAY, Sept. 12—A special picture for the kiddies, "Professor Wiseguy's Trip to the Moon," cartoon comedy. "When the Wolf Howls," with Cleo Madison, and a L-KO comedy, "How Stars Are Made." WEDNESDAY, Sept. 13—"Mysteries of Myra," second episode, five reels today. Dorothy Day-entport, in her "Soul Song," 3-reel drama, with a good comedy and "Mysteries of Myra." FRIDAY, Sept. 8—"His Majesty, Dick Turpin," 2-act drama, with Francis Ford and Grace Cunard, the Lucille love stars. King Baggot in "The Soul Man," and Billy Rhodes in "Mixed Kids," a comedy. SATURDAY, Sept. 9—The stupendous spiritual serial, "Mysteries of Myra," in fifteen episodes, will start tonight. The greatest serial of them all, will be shown twice a week, Saturdays and Wednesdays.

5-REEL BROADWAY FEATURE EVERY THURSDAY, 5c & 10c

Comrade J. H. Davis and his daughter, Gracie, are expected to arrive this evening from West Virginia, where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

L. E. Firkin this week purchased the two-story building next door to the Farris House on New York, and it is understood he will conduct a butcher shop. The property formerly belonged to E. A. Bardwell.

Capt. Farris returned from his holiday trip on Tuesday and is looking well and strong after his vacation. He reports that the heat was very oppressive in the North and is glad to be back again at the old stand.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. VanArsdale entertained some of their neighbors with a pleasing chicken dinner last Monday. After the repast entertaining conversation occupied the afternoon. Those present as guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Mason, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Holden and Miss May Holden.

The Kissimmee Concert Band has arranged for a minstrel show Friday evening, under the auspices of the Woman's Club of St. Cloud. The club members are hustling for the sale of tickets and expect to realize a neat sum from the entertainment. The performance given by the band last Friday at Kissimmee was well attended.

Wanted, clean rags, by the Tribune, large pieces preferred.

Word has been received here that Comrade and Mrs. Rexford, of Westfield, Pa., who have spent several winters in this city, were last week bereft of their only son, he being killed in a mill in which he was working in the state of Alabama. He leaves a wife and three children. This is the fifth and last child that has been taken by death from Mr. and Mrs. Rexford. They have the sympathy of their many friends here.

G. W. Ten Eyck, of Sulphur Springs, has been spending several days with his sisters, Mrs. Rankin and Mrs. Bracken. He had been in Eustice for two weeks on business, stopping off here on his return. Although he has a pretty home in one of the most picturesque spots in Florida, on a high projection on the Hillsborough river, he is thinking of selling out and locating in this city, saying it is more like home than in any other part of Florida.

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Mrs. E. D. French returned on Friday last from St. Cloud, Minn., after an absence of sixteen months, and has rejoined her husband, Senator French, at their new bungalow at Ashton. She spent Saturday last visiting old friends in St. Cloud, including Mrs. Cope and Mrs. S. C. Jaques. Mrs. French was much surprised at the many improvements that have taken place in our city during her absence and is delighted with the new home that her husband has built for her.

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By MRS. CLARA E. KENNEY

Union met in regular session at Baptist church on September 4, at 2:03 p. m., Mrs. Clara Kenney presiding. After the regular opening service some unfinished business was disposed of in regular order and committees discharged. Several bills were presented and allowed. Program for Veterans' Association at G. A. R. Hall, September 16th, was planned and bids fair to be something fine. Annual report blanks were distributed as far as possible. Many of our departments will have no report, as their superintendents are spending the summer in the North and have left no record of their work covering the greater part of the year. This is very unfortunate, as it will give our Union a bad showing at the coming state convention at Daytona, November 7-11, although there has been a good work done here, and those who have remained here during the summer have done well along their lines. Superintendents of any departments who are now here and have not received their blanks will please call for them at once, as they must be in by September 15. The next meeting will be on September 18, at which all members are expected to be present for election of officers. Visitors are cordially welcome.

VETERANS' ASSOCIATION

The meeting was called to order by President Kenney. Opened with the singing of America and a prayer by Rev. Beauchamp, followed by a song from the choir. An invitation was then extended to all newcomers to tell what they knew. In the remarks made for the good of the city one comrade advised cutting out the sandburrs. The collection amounted to \$1.06. The president read an article entitled "Boost." Mrs. Dechner made some remarks about her northern trip among her children, and other pleasures of the visit, and of her happiness of once more getting back to St. Cloud. Song by the choir, "Old Folks at Home." Piano duet by Edith Harrod and Miss VanNatta. Dialogue by Myrtle Kelly and Lucy White. A waltz played on the violin by John Andrist, accompanied on piano by Miss Van Natta. Recitation by Ruby Yeatman. Drill by Myrtle Kelly and Otis Bass. Song by Edith Harrod, Lucy White and Miss Meatyard. Leon Harrod gave a song and burlesque representing Charley Chaplin. Dialogue by Goldie Glow and Edith Harrod on "Education." Piano solo by Mrs. W. J. O'Brien, entitled "Falling Leaves," a beautiful piece well rendered. That old but beautiful song, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," was sung by Miss VanNatta and Mrs. Grace Ide, with tableau by Mr. and Mrs. Bailey. Song by Edward Green. Violin solo by John Andrist, accompanied on the piano by Miss Van Natta. "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" was now sung by the choir and audience. Remarks by Mrs. E. E. Williams. By request Mrs. Marskie now gave a comic recitation entitled "The Setting of the Old Blue Hen." Another song by the choir, "The Old Oaken Bucket." Meeting closed by singing "The Star Spangled Banner." H. H. Mason, Asst. Sec.

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

In regard to the recent controversy which occurred in the Veterans' Association a few weeks ago, the following letter from Mrs. Isabel Worrell Ball will be of interest: Mr. G. C. Clauson, St. Cloud, Florida. Dear Comrade:—Pardon the length of time it has taken to get around to your letter but better late than never. You are entirely correct about the two songs, "America" is our National HYMN, and the Star Spangled Banner is our National ANTHEM. They are so designated by the Army and Navy and they are recognized authorities on the subject. The National Hymn is to me an invocation and a benediction, and quite well might the last verse of America take the place of the usual benediction pronounced by the average minister. Sincerely and Fraternaly yours, Isabel Worrell Ball. Mrs. Ball, who is well known by our townfolks, is an authority on matters patriotic and the above will no doubt be accepted by our readers.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

It is being currently reported that certain fire insurance agents in St. Cloud are making lower insurance rates than the regular published rates. Wish to say that no agent can make a less rate than the one published, which all must be governed by. Respectfully, B. F. RALLS. The Pioneer Insurance Agent of St. Cloud, Florida, for old Aetna and Hartford Insurance Companies.

Judson D. Chunn
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 to 11:00 a. m., 2:30 to 5:30 p. m.
PHONES: Office 85, Residence 100
Office Second Floor, Palm Theatre Building, Pennsylvania Ave., between 10th and 11th Sts.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: BARGAIN—Ten acres of land near Peg Horn Station; land No. 1122, in Section 9, Township 26, Range 30. Inquire of Mr. C. L. Beruth, 622 E. 36th St., Chicago, Ill. FOR SALE—One Rayo Incubator, 160-egg size, with Rayo brooder; used only once, also one Acme special lawn mower, nearly new. Charles Jones, Delaware and 17th at. FOR SALE—Nice cottage and wood house, 2 lots and good water; lots well improved and fenced. Call at 217 Missouri avenue, between 8th and 9th sts. Theo. Olmstead. PAPAAYA PLANTS—1 to 2 feet—10 to 20 cents B. G. Merrill, 14th St. and Massachusetts Ave. FOR SALE—Nice cottage and wood house, 2 lots and good water; lots well improved and fenced. Call at 217 Missouri avenue, between 8th and 9th streets. FOR SALE—40 acre farm and grove; 600 large bearing orange trees capable of producing 5,000 boxes of fruit. Will sell for part cash, easy terms on balance. Apply "Grove," care The Tribune. FOR SALE—Four-room house, with two screened porches, all finished; three good outbuildings and two lots; good shade and fruit trees, well located; corner Wyoming and 7th st. For particulars call or address Box 222, St. Cloud, Florida. DO YOU KNOW a good thing when you see it? I have a nice bungalow with 100 foot lot, well filled with many kinds of fruits and berries, on Ohio Ave., near Fifth St., to sell to some one who wants a nice place to live. Fine view of lake and city. Also I have a few well bred White Leghorn cockerels at my home, 616 Michigan Ave. C. M. Espy. FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and harness and one Jersey cow. Apply S. J. Triplett. WANTED—Clean rags, by the Tribune, large pieces preferred. FOR EXCHANGE—Business property in Southern Ohio for St. Cloud property—F. B. Kenney. WANTED—To borrow \$5,000 on first mortgage on property worth \$20,000, for five years at 8 per cent interest, payable semi-annually. Apply "Loan," St. Cloud Tribune.

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FARM NAMES

Kansas has a law that permits a farmer to give a name to his farm, register the name and enjoy the exclusive right to use it.

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